



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

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MEMORANDUM FOR: CIA/OBGI * Chairman 25X1C
NIS Committee

SUBJECT: Request for Release of NIS [redacted]

REFERENCE: USIB D-51.3/16, 3 Jan 64, as amended,
Revised 28 May 1970.

I am enclosing a memorandum from [redacted]

[redacted] The memorandum requests
that the NIS Committee agree to the release of NIS 26 (USSR),
Section 36 (Merchant Marine), [redacted]
[redacted] for a special project presently
under study.

As you will note, [redacted] strongly recommends favorable considera-
tion by the Committee.

I would appreciate it if this request could be placed on the Agenda
in the near future.

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Enclosure

[redacted] memorandum

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